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SATURDAY, MARCH 25, 1893.

SIX DOLLARS PER OUARTER

Banks.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED,

THE CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON AND CHINA.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL£1,500,000

BANKERS: LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST ALLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the Rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

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JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong. Hongkong, 4th February, 1893.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

Authorised Capital£1,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: -HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:--D. Gillies, Esq. ChowTungShang,Eaq.

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Branches,-London, Yokohama, Shanghai, Amor and Foochow.

BANKERS:-

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THE BANK OF CHINA. JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

CAPITAL CALLED-UP...... 251,093.15.0

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: Wm. Keswick, Esq.-Chairman, Adolf von André, Esq. F. D. Sassoon, Esq. Egbert Iveson, Esq. H. D. Stewart, Esq.

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RATES OF INTEREST. LLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS A and Fixed Deposits, can be ascertained on application.

CHANTREY INCHBALD, Manager,

Hongkong, 6th February, 1803.

Intimations.

AN APPEAL

THE SUPERIORESS of the ITALIAN CONVENT, CAINE ROAD, begs most respectfully to APPEAL to the Residents of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, for their kind patronage and support, and desires to state that she will be pleased to receive orders for all kinds of NEEDLE WORK

Gentlemen's Shirts made to order, and Cuffs and Collars renewed on old ones. Ladies and Children's Under-clothing, Children's Dresses, and all kinds of Embroidery.

Materials can be supplied, if required. Books for the Children of the Poor Schools, who WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, 29th and are taught by the Sisters. Hongkong, 6th March, 1803.

THE MIKE COAL MINING COMPANY.

THE MIKE COAL IS A

BITUMINOUS COAL of dark reddish colour. For steam purposes: it has been pronounced to be the best and the most economical of all the Japanese Coals, "Its," export is increasing yearly, and the opinions. expressed by several of the largest regularconsumers are in testimony of the excellent qualities of this coal.

Attention is called to the following advantages to Ships! Owners and Captains, who coal their bunkers direct from the Undersigned :---

FRESHNESS of the coal. UNIFORMITY of quality,

FREEDOM from impurities. Supply in any quantity on shortest notice. Quick despatch.

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Have for Sale a cargo of pure AKAIKI COAL, ex GODOWN and ex SHIP.

MR. J. W. BOYD, Superinterident at COAL GIVES TEN PER CENT. BETTER RESULTS than any Japanese Coal he has ever

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Insurances.

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMBANY, establiseed 1821.

ANNUAL INCO Stg. 900,000 Stg. BOARD OF DIRECTORS, SHANGHAI: AUGUSTUS WHITE, ENG F. H. BELL, Esq. AMES L. SCOTT, Esq. bil . v

NEIL MACLEOD, Esq., M.D., Medical Officer. W. T. PHIPPS, Esq.] Chlef Agent.

Amoy-Messrs, Brown & RCd. Canton-Messrs. Rowe & Co. Chefoo-Messrs. Comabe to the Foodhow-Messrs. Phipps Props & Co. Hankow-Messrs. W. Falls and Arp & Co. Kobs-Messrs. Browned Nagasaki-China & Japi Newchwang-Messrs. Bain Ningho-Gustav Kultzau, Esq. Paking-Dr. Dudgeon, Medical Officer. Sevatow-Messrs, Bradley & Co. Tientsin-Messra. Wilson & Co.

Yokohama-Messrs, Fraser, Farley & Co. The Standard is an old and wealthy Scottish Office, well-known throughout India and the East, and has acquired a marked character for sound and liberal management. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Agents, Hongkong, 679—5] Standard Life Office. SOUTH BRITISH-FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF

NEW ZEALAND. THE Undersigned are prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on favourable terms. Current rates, and a guaranteed Bonus equal

S. J. DAVID & Co., Hongkong, 1st November, 1892. NOTICE.

to that paid by the local Offices.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

The above Company is prepared to accept

[8 MARINE RISKS At CURRENT RATES On GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies. WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE. No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. Hongkong, 21st February, 1893.

GENERAL NOTICE. THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY,

(LIMITED.) CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000, \$833,333.33 EQUAL TO RESERVE FUND \$318,000.00.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LEE SING, Esq. LO YEUR MOON, Esq. LOU TEO SHUN, Esq.

MANAGER.—HO AMEI.

VI ARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & o. PRAYA WEST. Hongkong, 17th December, 1884.

Antimations.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that a PRIVATE MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the COMPANY'S HOTEL, on SATUR-DAY, 8th April, at 11 A.M.

> R. LYALL, Secretary.

Hongkong, 16th March, 1893. HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE PANCE will be CLOSED owing to and: 25th distant. On MONDAY, 27th, it is The Superioress will also be most grateful for exceeved for the Navy. On TUESDAY, 28th 30th, at 800 and goo'yards.

ED) ROBINSON, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 23rd March, 1893.

CAPTAIN CH. ROBINSON, COAL CONTRACTOR, COMPRADORE AND STEVEDORE.

CHIPS VISITING MANILA SUPPLIED WITH PROVISIONS, DUNNAGE, &c. TWATER and BALLAST BOATS, "Manila, 13th March, 1893.

J. D. KILEY, MANUFACTURER OF BALLOONS, PARACHUTES, TENTS, &c. No. 3. JUBILEE STREET. Hongkong.

Honekong, 3rd January, 1893. KOCH'S PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE, No. 30, STANLEY STREET.

DOARD and LODGING, Per Day ...\$ 1.50

BOARD (TIFFIN and DINNER) Per \$25.00 Month Hongkong, 24th March, 1893.

PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE, STAINFIELD'S-I, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST, T.JACANCIES for GENTLEMEN or MAR-V. RIED COUPLES at Moderate Tems.

MRS. STAINFIELD, Propirletress. Hongkong, 31st December, 1892. BOARD AND RESIDENCE

OMFORTABLY FURNISHED OF UN-FURNISHED ROOMS, with Board and Table Accommodation. Apply to

Mrs. MATHER: 2, Pedder's HW. Reagroup, asth Pebruary, 1893.

Intimations.

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FAIRBANKS SCALES, 200lbs. to 1500lbs. MILNERS', PHILLIP'S AND LOWE'S SAFES.

> DEED AND PAPER BOXES. HOWE BICYCLES,

> > (CUSHION TYRES).

W. POWELL & CO.

Hongkong, 20th March, 1803

W. ROBINSON & Co. (UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL) HONGKONG.

PIANO TUNING. SATISFACTORY WORK GUARANTEED. SINGLE TUNING
6 TUNINGS A YEAR......\$5.00 PER ANNUM.
12 do. do. \$48.00 do. INCLUDING MINOR REPAIRS AND THE KEEPING OF THE PIANO IN GOOD

ORDER AND CONDITION. DIANOS BOUGHT, SOLD OR TAKEN IN EXCHANGE, PACKED, REMOVED AND

HONGKONG HOTEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin "-A. B. C. Code.-TELEPHONE, No. 32,

PROPRIETORS.....THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre, of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close-proximity to the Banks and Shipping

The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers. THE TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the cuisins being under experienced supervision. THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lefty and well ventilated; open on to spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughput with electric communicators. The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladies' Drawing Rooms, the new, Bar and public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience.

A handsomely appointed GRILL ROOM, where chops, steaks, &c., are served at any hour adjoins the HOTEL and is under the same Management.

The WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expert and the BEST BRANDS only are supplied. HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above. NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

Hongkong, 12th February, 1892.

Hongkong, 14th February, 1893.

R. TUCKER Manager.

KELLY & WALSH. LD

JUST LANDED, FRESH STOCK OF THE FOLLOWING BRANDS

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CAPSTAN NAVY CUT. WILLS! TRAVELLER BRAND. OGDEN'S FRUIT AND HONEY. WILLS' BRISTOL BIRD'S EYE.

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BLACK GUT TENNIS BATS, Ivorid handles.
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"EUREKA" POLES. CHEAP ASH POLES. STEAM-TARKED NETS. COPPER ROPE for tops of nets. BAT PRESSES, TENNIS BAGS, BAT OIL. TENNIS SHOES.

LAWN MOWING MACHINES....... The "Paris," \$17.

Hongkong, 2nd March, 1803

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WHIS long established SELECT Family Hotel, situated on the Bund, facing the river, in the centre of the Settlements, has lately undergone extensive, alterations, and is now fitted with the latest modern improvements, including Bath and Dressing Rooms ATTACHED to Suites and Single Rooms, with hot and cold water laid on, DOUCHE, SHOWER SPRAYS, etc., and heated to a comfortable temperature during winter

SEPARATE ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNER PARTIES, &. The Electric Lighting now partly laid on will the completed during this year, 1892. An Assistant will allend on Passengers by Mail Steamers. N.B.—Telegraphic Address ;—" Central, Shanghal."

PROPRIETOR!

Ainusements.

UNDER THE DISTINGUISHED PATRONAGE His Excellency Sir WILLIAM ROBINSON K.C.M.G. His Excellency the Hon. Sir EDMUND B.

His Excellency Major-General DIGBY

FREMANTLE, K.C.B., C.M.G.,

BARKÉR, C.B. RAND CONCERT PUPILS OF MAESTRO CATTANEO, in aid of the furnishing of

THE NETHERSOLE HOSPITAL (Supplementary to the ALICE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL), at present in course of crection.

ST. ANDREW'S HALL

POSTPONED UNTIL THURSDAY, the 6th April.

PROGRAMME. 1.-Opening Chorus, Sing) Pretty Malden Sing; Romanza and Chorus, Mrs. J. McCallum. It was a Knight; Ro- | Mrs. MUDIE, manza, 'Tis the Harp f and Ludles & Genis the Air : Angelus | tlemen Amateurs.

Chorus-Maritana, by Wallace -Aris, for Bass, Dispersasen Vada-Les Mr. KRALL. Huguenots, by Meyer-· beer

-Aria for Contralto, Che faro-Orfes and Mrs. A. G. GORDON. Euridice, by Gluck 4.—Piano Solo......Miss CAROLINA DE SOUZA. 5 .- Grand Arla and Caba-) letts for Soprano-La Miss'E. CARVALHO.

Traviata, by Verdi..... 6-Romanza for Barttone. Un Ballo in Mas- Mr. C. H. GRACE. chera, by Verdi 7.-Aria and Allegro for) Soprano, I Puritani, by Mrs. G. S. Coxon. 8 .- Ave Maria, for Bass) Mr. C. HOLLIDAY,

and Chorus, by A. Cat- and Ludies & Gen-

tanco tlemen Amateurs. I .-- Aria for Soprano, and Miss E. CARVALHO, Misercre for Soprano, LMr. C. LAMMERT, Tenor, and Chorus-Il and Ladies & Gen-Trovatore, by Verdi ... tlemen Amateurs.

2.-Arla for Soprano, Ro-7 berto il Diavolo, by Mrs. KJELLER. Meyerbrer 3.—Aria for Tenor, Come Gentle Sleep, Ivanhoe, Mr. F. J. EAST. by Sullivan

4.-Waliz, from the Paci-Mr. RUCHWALDY. fic to the Atlantic, for Violin and Plane, by Mr. CATTANEO. A. Cattaneo 5.--Habaneras & Bolero, for Soprano, by Yradier Mrs. F. D. GUEDES, and Ardid 6.-Aria for Tenor, Salve

o Dimora, Faust, by Mr. C. LAMMERT. Gounod -Grand Aria for Bass, Maometto Secondo, by Mr. C. Holliday. Rossini 8.—Duct for Soprano and) Mrs. G. S. Coxon Contraito, Stabat Mater, by Rossini Mrs. A. G. GORDON.

[NO FINCORES.] Tickets, Two Dollars each, may be had from Mr. BREWER, Messis. KELLY & WALSH, Messis. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and Messie, ROBINSON

Hongkong, 17th March, 1893.

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NAVY CONTRACTORS; & GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS, No. 7, Praya Central, HONGKONG.

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COMPOSITION for the BOTTOMS OF IRON and STEEL SHIPS. HARTMANN'S GREY PAINT for coating the insides of STEEL SHIPS.

MOTOR LAUNCHES PATENT DAIMLER. DAIMLER INDUSTRIAL MOTORS. TRAMWAYS, COACHES and FIRE ENGINES.

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EVERY KIND OF SHIP'S STORES AND REQUISITES ALWAYS IN STOCK

REASONABLE PRICES.

CARDIFF, AUSTRALIAN and JAPAN COALS, supplied at the shortest notice to Steamers at lowest market rates. Hongkong, sist October, 18ge.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION,

TUESDAY, the 28th day of March, 1893, at his SALE ROOMS, Queen's Road. SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.,

Comprising :-VELVET COVERED DRAWING-ROOM MARBLE-TOP TABLES, BEVELLED GLASS OVERMANTELS, CHEFFONIER,

PICTURES, CURIOS and ORNAMENTS. CARPETS and HEARTH RUGS. DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD, DINNER WAGGONS, VIENNA CHAIRS; CRO-CKERY. GLASS and PLATED WARE. WRITING TABLE, DESK, BOOK-CASE

DOUBLE and SINGLE IRON BED. STEADS. WARDROBES with BEVELLED GLASS DOORS. MARBLE-TOP BURMAU with BE-VELLED GLASS, DRESSING TABLE and

MARBLE-TOP WASHSTAND. 23-Size CAMERA and STANDS, TERMS OF SALE:-As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 24th March, 1893.

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STEAMERS.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. THE Company's Steamship

"HIROSHIMA MARU," Captain H. Walter, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 30th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS.

Hongkong, 18th March, 1803. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

THE Steamship "CARMARTHENSHIRE," Captain C'ark, will be despatched as above on or about the 30th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkoug, 24'h March, 1891, FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Steamship

Porter, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port on or about WEDNESDAY, the 5th proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL CARLILL & Co.,

"MACDUFF."

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON, HAMBURG AND ANTWERP.

Hongkong, 17th March, 1803.

THE Steamship "RADNORSHIRE," Captain F. Davies, R.N.R., will be despatched

as above on or about SATURDAY, the 15th For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.

Hongkong, 24th March, 1893.

SAILING VESSELS. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 100 A. I. British Ship "CELTIC CHIEF," Owen, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 20th February, 1893.

Consignees. NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP. COMPANY. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "VICTORIA,"

FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE, THE above Steamer having arrived, Consig-I nees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersigns. ture, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel in Do landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.

Agents. Hongkong, 24th March, 1893. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM. SHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE

ONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamahlp "BELGIC." The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Blils of Lading for countersignature, and to take

immediate delivery of their Goods from along. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel., will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and.

J. S. VAN BUREN. Hongkeng, 22nd March, 1893.

SIENTING SURGEON, DENTIST, No. 10, D'AGUILAR STREET. TERMS VERY MODERATE. Antis of Consultation free. Mengkong, 97th September, 1892.

Hntimations.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY

SELECTIONS FROM OUR LIST OF WINES AND SPIRITS.

X JE beg to invite careful attention to th following List of WINES & SPIRITS for we have succeeded in combining purity and excellence of quality with moderate prices.

OLD PALE COGNAC, O.P...... SUPERIOR OLD COGNAC, V.O.P. 14 AN OLD LIQUEUR COGNAC, O.L. 16 1.50 THE FINEST LIQUEUR COG-NAC, 20 years old, V.O.L...... 20

SCOTCH:-Lochaber.—A mellow old whisky... F. O. S.-A blend of the finest whiskies produced in Scotland. matured in Sherry wood 10 Liqueur.-A very rare old Scotch whisky. Square bottle It IRISH,...John Jamieson's 9 AMERICAN -- Genuine old Bourbon 10

GENEVA A.V.H.—15 large bottles in case 6 KEY BRAND GENEVA.-Finest procurable

OLD TOM..... DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & Co., Lo., Victoria Dispensary, Hongkong. Hongkong, 1st March, 1893.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD

CHEMISTS BY APPOINTMENT.

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841. MANUFACTURERS OF AERATED

WATERS. UR NEW FACTORY has been recent! refitted with automatic Steam Machinery of the latest and most approved kind, and we are well able to compete in quality with the best English makers:

The purest ingredients only are used, and the utmost care and cleanliness are exercised in th manufacture throughout.

"BOMBAY SODAS."

We continue to supply large bottles as hereto fore, Free of Extra Charge, to those of our Customers who prefer to have them to the ordi naty siz. COAST PORT ORDERS,

whenever practicable, are despatched by fit steamer leaving after receipt of order.

For COAST PORTS, Waters are packed and placed on board ship at Hongkong prices, and Empties when received in good condition. Counterfoil Order Books supplied free on

Our Registered Telegraphic Address is "DISPENSARY, HONGKONG." And all signed messages addressed thus will receive prompt attention.

The following is a List of Waters always kept ready in Stock :-

PURE AERATED WATER SODA WATER

> LEMONADE POTASH WATER SELTZER WATER LITHIA WATER

SARSAPARILLA WATER TONIC WATER LEMON SQUASH

GINGER ALE RASPBERRYADE GINGERADE.

No Credit given for Bottles that look dirty or greasy, or that ap ear to have been used for any other purpose than that of containing Acrated Waters, as such Bottles are never used again by

> A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED, The Hongkong Dispensary, Hongkong.

MARRIAGE. On the 18th Feb., at St. Saviour's, South Hamp stead, London, N.W., by the Rev. G. C. Herklots, vicar, assisted by the Rev. F. W. Thorne rector of Holy Trinity, Gray's Inn-road, FREDERICK EDWARD, RICHARDS, of Foothow, Chica, to LILIAN ANNIE, eldest, daughter of the late George Webb, of Hendon, and of Mrs. Webb, not say what. Plain speaking has cost of o. Arkwright-road, Hampstead.

he Mongkong Aelegraph

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, MARCH 25, 1893.

HONGKONG'S WANTS.

"What does Hongkong want?"-asks the Ancient Order of Job Lots. We will briefly awake try to fairly answer the question. More decency, more honesty, a lot more money, less knavery, more efficient Government officials, a wholesale exodus of flashy and unreliable aliens, the abolition of bogus company-promoters and smug-faced commercial frauds, the cremation of all the cads, dudes and "tinkers" who swarm everywhere, additional independent directors of joint stock concerns who are willing to work for their wages and don't make, use of other people's money for their own personal aims, a thorough system of fall dealing in every branch of recognised fair trade, five years' penal servitude for certain taipans of notorious German and other shipping firms who by bribery and corruption are eating the heart out of British Free Trade, less humburand "side" from illiterate and low-bred upstarts who at the Club and elsewhere are monkey nobility, the removal of the abominable stinks which make both day and night hideous throughout the colony, the smashing-up of the ignoble ring of

guinea-pig directors (most of whom ought to be in gaol) who strangle the legitimate efforts of British merchants, the repeal of that idiotic conundrum, Keswick's Share Bill, a sensible Gambling Act to affect all nationalities and creeds and rich and poor alike, an unofficial majority in the Legislative Council, the amalgamation of the offices of Capt. Superintendent of Police and Superintendent of Victoria Gaol, the appointment of a qualified accountant as Colonial Treasurer, the summary dismissal from the Public Sevice of all provedincapables and backsliders, whether University men or otherwise, a new and thoroughly reorganised order of things at the Post Office, a stricter rigime at the Harbour Office and Emigration Department, a fixed tariff on lowest possible basis for law costs and court fees, the total abolition of imprisonment for debt and of hard labour in gaol for persons convicted of gambling and other minor misdemeanours, a complete revision of the Newspaper and Publishers' Ordinance, the transfer of the Protector of Chinese to the Tung-wa Hospital and the Po Leung Kuk for their sole exclusive benefit, a K.C.M.G.-ship for the Hon. E. R. Bruttros in recognition of his eminent services at the tomb of DISEARLI the Mountebank, the institution of a Muncipal Council, vice the Sanitary Board deceased, the introduction of decorum and common sense into the debates of our Legislative Council, the substitution of true sport for old-time tomfoolery, the restoration of the Public Recreation Ground to its proper use for the benefit of the community, instead of being as now reserved as an exclusive privilege for half a dozen (more or less) contemptible cads who call themselves the Hongkong Cricket Club, to leave the magnificent Jubilee Statue of Her Most Gracious where it is at present gracefully attitudinising before a London mob, to reduce the salaries of the higher Government officials thirty-three per cent. and increase the "screws" of the juniors, the actual workers, in the same ratio, to reclaim the remaining portion of Causeway Bay up to Price's 'white elephant' 'the Breakwater,' as strongly recommended by the Hongkong Telegraph more than ten years ago, to place the Opium Farm under efficient supervision, to introduce some sensible rule of the road as regards traps, jinrickshas, etc., to make the ornamental generally subservient to the useful, to lower taxation all round, to interdict the use of the Chinese language in every department of the Public Service—(Hongkong is a British not a Chinese colony, and Chinese who choose to settle here for their own benefit should be compelled to learn our language or take the consequences)—the reduction of the full amount allowed for Packages and the Military Contribution, a polite dismissal of the entire Bench of Justices, a revision of the existing Jury Act, a public testimonial to Mr. MITCHELL-INNES, a new lease of prosperity to the Hongkong Hotel, a revival of trade, a heavy tax on Manila and Macao lottery tickets, which are still openly sold in the colony, fairer women and better men, and the deportation

FOR THE PUBLIC GOOD.

of nine-tenths of the legal_fraternity for

conspiracy, fraud and all round chicanery.

THE Hongkong Telegraph has always placed consequence has suffered all that its disinterested enemies could make it suffer -not much, truly, but if we took the will for the deed it would have been simply immeasurable. Our enemies are nearly all THE Hyogo News of March 15th says :-- We dead now, or in gaol, or in extremis and it is therefore only right to further the public interests by indicating a few of the most colossal monuments of our defunct foes, as warning signals for the future. Not spitefully, nor in any spirit of retaliation, but with real and deep sorrow, with heartfelt regret, we have to record the collapse of two great bubbles, of whose hollowness we have constantly warned the public, with no apparent result but that of bringing on ourselves the bitterest animosity of the powers that be - we are referring to the the piece will ensure a crowded house. Imuris (so-called) "Mines" and the Tytam Water-works. Our illustrious friend and Mr. Francis, Q.C.'s hopeful client, the late Hon. Mr. PRICE is gone-not dead but gone before - but there are several others still in the Colony whom Mr. Coopen's report just published brands as --- sh, well! we will us dearly in the past, and still the ratepayers remain deaf and indifferent; and so we will shout no more at present. All we wish to remark now is that if, after all we have published about the Taltam swindles and the visionary Imuris mines, there are still people in the colony who persist in worshipping their shattered idols, then our task is hopeless. We have fought for Hongkong, and the community sleeps on, into a Japanese junk and damaged" Telegraph remains very wide

TELEGRAMS.

THE PHILIPPINES.

MADRID, March 13th.; The Privy Council has decided to abolish all the superfluous offices created by Sr. Romero Robledo in the Manila government; the post of Mining Engineer is suppressed. The Monetary Commission will, it is expected, report in favour of re-establishing the Manila

Municipal reforms in the Philippines are under consideration by the Philippine Council. The tendency to decentralise predominates, though on a decidedly conservative basis. The present condition of Spanish politics is

troubled; a crisis is imminent. (Special to Hongkong Telegraph.) CHOLERA IN THE STRAITS.

SINGAPORE, March 25th. Chief Justice Bovill has died of cholers. [Sir Eliot C. Bovill, knight, was appointed from the West Indies to be Chief Justice of the realgaed, about six months ago.]

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE U.S.S. Alers arrived at Manila on the

H.M.S. Egeria returned to the harbour th morning, from a cruise.

An old Japanese man-of-war, the Ishikawa, has been condemned as unfit for further service.

THE man who is given to sober reflection, says Texas Siftings, seldom gets into a tight place: IT is authoritatively stated that Russians are! ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH .-- The Mission

You may freeze, you may bust the gas-meter if

you will, but at the end of the month, just the same, there's the blil. WE have received an interesting report of recent

of which will appear in our next issue. THE Manila papers report rumours of a keshoutbreak of natives against the garrison at gem

Ponape, several of the latter being killed. THE average weight of the Chinese brain is said to be beavier than the average weight of the brain in any other race. And so it ought to be

Mrs. Gay. -Are you aware that your cabin is next to mine? Mr. St. John.—Heavens, I'll have the purser STATURS in silver for the World's Fair at Chicago change it immediately l

THE Kobe Herald of the 15th inst. says the the rinderpest is now a thing of the past, and that the quarantine station at Wada has been

Old Spap-"Let's see, Henpeck, what is it we call a man who marries two wives—a bigamist ?" Henneck -- Some call him that. I call his

Mr. A. G. Wise, late Police Magistrate and now by English mail.

THE French Government, not having yet decide upon the choice of a successor to M. Waddington in London, has requested the French Ambassader to retain his post for some time longer.

Jinks.—Here is a first-class piece of news fo Editor-(screams)-Help! Murder! Police He wants to suin our paper

A REGULAR meeting of Zetland Lodge, No. 525 will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street on Saturday, the 1st proximo, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially invited

THE appointment of Mr. F. S. A. Bourne to be

Vice-Consul at Canton appears in the London Gazette of the 17th ulto. Mr. Bourne has held the acting appointment for some considerable AT the Harbour Office this morning two boat

men (Chinese) were fined \$25, or a month' imprisonment each, for doing their little best fill up the harbour by dumping rubbish near IT has been decided by the Chinese Imperi Maritime Customs to creet a lighthouse on

location on one of the islands. THE Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s Royal ma steamer Empress of Japan, from Hongkong arrived at Shanghai at 6 p.m. on Friday, and left again at 5 p.m. to-day, for Vancouver, wia

the Haeshins, and the cruiser Pingching lef

Shaughai the other day to select a suitable

AT IT AGAIN. A maid who is slightly antique Was grossly insulted last wiq : 0; Her best fellow said. "It is time we were wald !" And now, it is said, they don't spique.

Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama.

THE Comercio a few days, ago published steamer Bohol, and next day the steamer unkindly turned up safe. The wreck was that of a small boat near the port of Bohol, and the brief telegram had been misinterpreted.

regret to hear that a missionary lady, a widow, at Oaks has no less than four children stricken down with the small-pox. Mr. Thwaites, who has made such a gallant fight against typhold, has now, we understand, been removed to the small-pox hospital,

THE London Lyric, Company will appear the Theatre Royal, City Hall, to-night in the favorite musical comedy "My Sweetheart"-In two and a half years ago. A strong cast has been arranged, and the universal popularity of

WHEN Mauritius was ceded to Great Britain in iBio there was a gigantic turtle in a court of the artitlery barracks at Port Louis, which is still there, although almost, blind. It weighs 330 pounds and stands two feet high when walking. Its shell is eight and a half feet long, and it can carry two men on its back with case. It believed to be at least 200 years old.

THE Daily Press, when it manages by superhuman efforts to be not more than a month behind the times, is usually a good deal too. previous. Mr. Skeels is a very active and energetic man, and no doubt his rivals will have to get up very early in the morning to best him: but our dear old Granny actually represents him as holding an auction at 12:30 a.m.

THE Blue Funnel steamer Nestor, which left. Kobe on the morning of the rath instant; ran badly, off the point of Wada. The junk wi fortunately empty, and its two sailors were rescued by another passing junk. Messrs. Butterfield and Swire, the agents for the Nester, paid 30 yea for the damaged junk, and the matter was arranged amicably.

SOME of the most eventful changes in the British constitution have been carried by very small majorities. The great points of the national religion in England under Queen Elizabeth. were carried by only six votes. The Hanover succession was carried by a single vote. The Remonstrance in Charles I's time, was carried by eleven. The union with Scotland, as was that with Irland, was carried by a very small majority. The Reform Bill of 1831 was carried only by one vote.

with the Earlish languistic be justified. these men who sell thaff for wheat.

THE U.S.S. Marion arrived at Penang on THE silk ex Empress of India arrived at New March 14th.

THE further hearing of the suit R. Fraser-Smith v. Whitehead and Others (Stewards of the Hongkong Jockey Club), has been fixed for Monday the 10th April at 10.30 a m.

Berllu Biet ('n"the Club),-Wo' is dot littl Old Soak .- Why, a whisky-glass.

Berlin Blet .-- Ach Himmel! In de Charmen Club, we use plat mugs for visky.

worse afflicted with blindness than any other steam-launch Day Spring will call alongside vessels hoisting code pennant C, between 9 and 10.30 a.m. on Sunday, to convey men ashore to the 11 o'clock service, returning about 12.30 p.m.

Editor of Granny —That was a fine article of yours this morning, Puffkins Reporter.-Thank you, Sir. I did try to working at the Tamchow sliver mines, particulars 'cover the market very thoroughly.

Editor .- You did, Sir. Your description o the fall in the price of carrots was a literary

A JAPANESE contemporary reports that while virulence. The number of new cases reported for the week ended March 12th, in the latter city, was 246, the deaths during the same period totalling 82.

are not to be the only curios of the kind, for Lot's wife is to be outdone by an Englishman of Windstead named W. H. Jones. He is now carving a copy of Bartholdi's "Genius of Liberty" from a block of pure white salt, mined at a depth of 250 feet in the earth. The figure stands 54 feet from base to torch.

THE Portuguese gunboat Bengo left for Macan this morning, so that the Office Goat, can now safely be released from durance vile. "Billy has been 'on the chain,' in the coal cellar, for the Registrar of the Supreme Court, accompanied | past thirty-six hours, as a measure of precaution, by Mrs. Wise, returned to the colony last night | We feel sure the O. G. meant to ram the Macao ironclad-but, thank heaven, all danger of such a catastrophe has passed away. We seriously contemplate making William a missionary, or an assistant editor of the Daily Pest.

> "THINGS CHINESE," by J. Dyer Ball, M.R.A.S (Kelly & Walsh, Lim.) has reached its second edition, in which many improvements have been effected. A large number of new articles have been introduced, and some of the former ones have been re-written, with excellent results. Among the fresh matter is a brief note on Chinese English, from which we take the following example of a book written to instruct Celestials in the Barbarian tongue :--

> "I cannot Chinese speak."- To do good virtues become rich and know. Diligent learn of English words no difficult.' His himself no have got. 'Why you cannot want mistake. Fear inside have little false.' Run come too much refuge. 'Can do blting.' 'Accomulate bliss.' 'Accomulate many, confidentor, etc.'

A TYPE foundry in Germany has recently applied for a patent on a new method of constructing proximo. types, by which a saving of weight and expense is effected. The new letters are about half the length of those in use at present, and at the end opposite from the face have one or more grooves which engage and set on interchangeable bases. Corrections with such types would be, it is claimed, more easily made, as any letter can be lifted off and replaced by another without disturbing the others. Also "pleing" would be avolded, as the bases would prevent it. The bases-which look like very low slugs-are furnished to all lengths, and need be bought only once for each body. If this invention proves practicable it will certainly revolutionize thing in the details of the trade,

commission rank." Mr. South has had an eventful career in the Navy, which he entered ! in 1860 as second-class boy on the Victory. public interests before its own, and in thrilling account of the wreck of the coasting He passed as naval schoolmaster at the age of in which he rapidly rose step by step, he was method of managing, and inshort, all their forma- control over its moral, sanitary, and financial Emperor for some unknown reason. In the seat, "bands" etc. follow until the authoress introof the Duke of Edinburgh, and again when at vivious parts of the world (including Hongko g. and content.-L. & C. Express. Postsmouth he organised entertainments at the | Shanghai, Tientsin and Japan) which to horserequest of the Princess of Wales. Afterwards women possessed of a desire to revance in the he became one of the leading workers at the art, should prove not only interesting but Naval Exhibition in 1891. He came to Hong- invalvable. Not the least pleasing feature kong in May, 1892, and is already well-known in the book, is the kindly manner as one of the most energetic and popular men in in which reference is made to many of the colony in catering for the public amusement. | those with whom the writer came in which clever little Gracle Plaisted's company | We offer Mr. South our hearty congratulations | contact during her Eastern travels, and by made such a brilliant success in Hongkong some on his promotion, which we are sure is thoroughly them the book will doubtless by valued deserved.

> A CORRESPONDENT writes from Nanking to our Shanghal morning contemporary under date March 15th:-In my former correspondence I wrote you of the march of the "Ever Victorious " srmy through the stree s of Nanking. I made mention of eight characters dressed as foreigners, representing General Gordon and others. Since writing the above, your correspondent has been permitted an interview with one of the officials in charge of the parade. I learn through him that the eight foreigners referred to above did not represent General Gord n and others with him. but represented the eight rebel Generals who surrendered to Gord n on the condition that they had their liberty, this being sanctioned by Li Hung-chang. They were afterwards most be executed as criminals, but made no promise Hongkong: Mr. Scott, Mr. A. McConachie. only be made upon an assumption, or be enterthat their lives would not be required as a Per P. and O. steamer Ballagrat, from London, tained upon an admission of Chinese sovereignty upon from behind and murdered,

Italian life ":-The Italian people cannot be said | don, March 30 .- To Yokohama : Mr. Mollison. | which anybody who chooses to read the Convento have any pet credulity, except that of inter- To Shanghai 1 Mrs. R. Mackensie, Mr. L. A. tion may further see to be absolutely baseless, pretation of dreams for special application to the Hushes. To Hongkong: Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. V. 5. Finally, Sir, it follows that, h. ving thus letto. Under the name of Maffia, Cabala, or Vernon and 2 children. From Brindisi, April admitted the claim of our good friend, and I Seminary, there exists a booklet, also called the oth,-To Shanghai; Mr. E. E. Porter, trust, future ally, China, to Somatash and the Book of D cams, which is a characteristic type | Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Farra, Alichur Pamir, it is incumbent on us to refrain of the popular literature. It gives rules for the from Marseilles, March 5th .-- To Yokohama : Mr. | either from any agreement with Russia for an events, from which are deduced certain numbers | and Mrs. Lefevre. To Shanghal : Mrs. R. J. Ogle, | from any other engagements which might to be played in the public lotto. In Naples Mr. Degener Boening, Mr. Deacon, Mr. Deacon, assume to make us a party to defeating of alone in one year 27,000 copies of this jr., Mr. and Mrs. Schlee, Mr. Douglas Jones, Ms. denying that claim.
book were sold. This lotto is the scourge of the F. W. Aldis, Mr. and Mrs. Cheerkoff. To Hong/ But I go further, and say that, having acknownation, and leads to great disasters. Unhappily, kong : Mr. J. Michoud, Mr. Marc, Mr. Neismith, ledged the claim of China to the Alichur Pamir. Save the Stratte Independent ;-The Solicitor- it brings into the National Treasury over Mr. W. Luce, Mr. Jenkins. From Colombo and interest alike prescribe that we General has intimated his wish that on the jury 40,000,000 france per annum. It has also To Yokohama 1 Dr. and Mrs. Gaudin, Mr. and should defend and protect that claim by all to try Petersen for bigamy no Eurasians should taken such deep root, especially in the more Mrs. Smyth Pigott. be allowed to sit. We scarcely see how the imaginative, more idle, and more ignorant | Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Mel go so far as to say that the true frontier of Judge can accede to this request, as it would regions, that it would not be easy to abolish it at | bourne, from Marseilles, March 19th, To | Russia in these regions is the Murghab and Akthrow an undescreed slight on the whole of the one fell swoop. It is scandalous to see how even | Shanghal : Mr. W. G. Gordon, Mr. A. J. How, Su Rivers, that beyond this boundary at farthest Eurasian community of Penang. But, so long as the best newspapers will permit advertisements Mr. Wm. White, Mr. P. Arnhold, Mr. and Mrs. A she should not come to the southward, and that the Roman Catholic priests will interfere in the to appear of impossible promises concerning Lay, Mr. H. Schlee, Mr. and Mrs. Play and regard for our Indian Empire, no less than domestic and mundans affairs of their paris lucky numbers, which they will reveal in return | children. shloners, just so long will remarks like that made for a consideration; and still more scandalous | Per Kingsin Line steamer Niobe, from Ham- Intimate to Russia that unless she retires within by Mr. Logan the other day, when he expressed that the Italian magistrates, so ready to burg, February 18th .- To Hiogo: Mr. and Mrs. this frontier we shall regard the matter seriously Straits Settlements vice Sir E. L. O'Malley, the opinion that the fury must be macquained condemn light offences, have never yet prosecuted W. Doebbeling and child, To Hongkong Mr. and take such steps as the alturation may demand.

York on the 23rd inst., 28 days from Hongkong and 10 days from Yokohama.

THERE was a very good attendance at the Theatre Royal last night, when "The Late Lamented" was presented for the second time, before H.E. the Governor and suite. The niece went very we'l indeed, and was much improved by being given in full, as origi nally written. Te-night "My Sweetheart." Though we do not wish to discourage anybody we cannot but assure all who have not booked sents in dvance that they will be crowded out at nine o'clock.

SKILLED work girls in There are much better off than those in stores. Thirties presented at the Congres Feministe by Mme. Vincent a few weeks ago show that cut of 10,352,000 artisans in France there are 4.4v5 000 women, who receive in wages or dividends nearly \$500,000,000 a year, They, of course, receive much less in proportion to the work they do than the men, but notwithstanding this fact they draw 35 per cent of the entire sum spent in wages. In Paris there are 8 000 women doing business on an independent footing, and of 3 858 sults judged last year by

from the Burlington Hawkeye Tas he is contented. without looking for it.

re like flint—it takes a blow

bring the fire out. What is most beautiful in a face lasts longest, Judge a man by the clothes he pays for, rather than by those he wears.

If there is honor among thieves, they stole it Dan't give the devil his due if you can prevent

What is one man's cloud is another man's Only human beauty is spoiled by admiration. When life becom s too sweet, the fear of losing corrects the sweetness.

THE NEW ROTISSERIE AND TIFFIN ROOMS.

The Hongkong Hotel Company, ever on the out vive for the comfort and convenience of the general public, are about to insugurate an additional feature to their present standing business in the form of a first-class cash rotisserie and tiffin room. These are very centrally situated and being on the ground floor of the Hotel will doubtless fil a long-felt want. The old billiard room is undergoing a course of thorough renovation, partition and decoration, and when finished will present a striking contrast to its former state. Fighteer small tables, placed in the main room, will afford accommodation for about 100 persons, and the four private rooms will each comfortably seat from eight to nine people. An extensive bar, with an entrance from Pedder's Street, is attached The new venture is to be worked on an absolute cash eystem, and will be under the management of Mr. S. H. Schmidt, who has had considerable experience in this line in the Far East. The Rotisserie will be opened on or about the 15th

A REVIEW.

THE HORSEWOMAN" by Alice Hayes. W Thacker and Co. London. Kelly and Walsh, Lim., Hongkong.]

If the success of any particular literary production depen 'ed upon an absolute knowledge of the subject treated by the author and the display of artistic care for every detail of the work, then the volume now under review r ust at once be pronounced an unqualified success. Mrs. Hayes is the wife of Captain Horace known writer on training, race-riding, etc., etc., By last night's English mail came official and this book had the additional advantage of intimation that Mr. George South, boatswain of being edited by him. Mrs. Hayes is the happy appeal should be provided-say three judgesthe Naval Yard, had been promoted by order of possessor of a bright, chatty style, and without to whom to refer in case of need, with power to the Admiralty to be "chief boatswain, with being in any degree unduly "horsey," a fondness for, and sn acquaintance with the

"noble animal" possessed by few, is displayed in every line in the book. as a souvenir of a pleasant acquaintanceship, "The Horse woman" is profesely illustrated with

appropriate drawings and photographs, and must be regarded as a clever book by a clever. woman. A large circulation is assured it.

PASSENGERS BOOKED FOR CHINA.

Per P. and O. steamer Suiles, from London,

Per P. and O. steamer Valetta, from London, 3. It follows that her Mejesty's Government March 3rd,-To Yokohama & Mr. John, Wark, recognise the claim of China to Somatash, in-Mr. W. M Lowe. To Shanghal : Miss Car- I cluding the whole Allchur Pamir eastward from michael, Miss Ross, Miss Gumble, Miss Gray | Somatash to Kashgar. For, were it otherwise, Owen, and two children, Miss Beschnidt, Mr. her Majesty's Government could not have Jno, Sjoquist, To Hongkong: Mr. F. Schjoth, listened to or entertained any Chinese demand brutally murdered by Li's order. The official said Miss R. Maxin. From Brindlei, March 12 .- To for explanations regarding the expulsion of the that Li Hung-chang promised they should not Yokohama: Mr. Kenilworth Hedges, To Chinese from that place, which demand cruid

penalty for taking up arms as leaders in a March 16th,-To Yokohamat Mr. D. Jackson. there. rebellion against the Government. He further To Shanghai 1 Mr. C. H. Erskine, To Hong- 4. It equally follows that her Majesty's stated that Li provided a feast for these rebel kong: Mr. Herbert Gething, Mr. G. Thomson, Government rejects and repudiates the claim of Generals, and while they were feasting and From Brindist, March 26th.-To Yokohama; Russia to sovereignty over Sematesh, and that drinking, at a given signal they were dashed Mr. A. B. Walford. To Shanghai: Mr. F. F. it especially rejects and repudiates Colonel Raper, Mr. W. S. King. To Hoogkong : Mr. Ionoff's allegation that England had agreed to A. W. V. Gibb.

interpretation of any dream, or even of current | C. W. Campbell, Mr. Fuglat. To Kobe 1-Mr. Anglo-Russian Delimitation Commission, or

A control | Hugo Rusmcket/ (2)

HOME RULE FOR EASTERN CROWN COLONIES.

Home Rule seems to be the prevailing political epidemic of the day. Our Prime Minister, Mr. Gladstone, claims it for Ireland, Wales, and Scotland, and that eminent legislator, Mr. Labouchere, advocates Homer Rule for everywhere in the United Kingdom. Why, therefore, should this panaces not be extended to the Crown Colonies thousands of miles away? Now, there are Crown Colonies which have good reason to complain of the treatment they have met with of late years, especially Coylon, the Straits Settlements, and Hongkong. They have vainly endeavoured to obtain some consideration from Downing Street, but have met with but scant attention, and yet it cannot be denied that they are fully justle fied in their complaints. The abolition of the C. D. O. and the Military Contribution or Ex-"scilon, forced upon them sgainst the unanimous protest of all, are grievances of a most signal nature and causes 'I most serious discontent. The fact is, as we on'y recently pointed out

that the present system of governing the Crown Colonies is too antiquated for the present day. It small-prx is nearly extinguished in Kobe, it the Council of Prudhommer, 1,674 concerned may have suited the times when communications seems to be raging in Osaka with increased work-women. colonists less advanced than at present; but telegraphs and steamers have a tered the one, and the Press and the murch of ideas materially modified the other, and a change to a more modern system has become imperative. A Crown Colony of the present day 's not exactly "a vestry without a soul to be dimned or a body to be kicked." It is a something which our Ministers and politicians are bound to consider, if they do their duty to the Empire. What is the present mode of government in a Crown Colony? We see a Government majority in the Legislative Council carrying measures which they know to be injurious to the colony, in abedience to orders from home, where the Secretary of State one day stands by the colony, pointing out the Irjustice of a proposed measure, and the next prostitutes his signature ty at pending it to despatches which seek, though vainly, to support arguments utterly at variance with his former opinions, It is owing to such tactics that the Straits Settlements have strong grounds of complaint. They have been bled to dep'etion by an iniquitous Military Exaction, which has been enforced in the face of the protests of the Governor, his councils, and the community, and only carried out by orders from Downing "Street forcing the Government servants, members of the Executive Council, to vote against their wellknown opinions and consciences. Can a worse tyranny be invented?

We, as Engilshmen, are fond of talking of Oriental duplicity; but can there exist a more mendacious system than the above? What respect can the colonist have for a Government which not only undermines his patriotism but fosters his discontent? What opinion can the Chinaman have of a Government whose officers are merely chameleons at command, shifting their colour or their opinions as desired by the wire-pullers at Downing Street ?: If anything can tender British authority contemptible in the eyes of the Aciatic it is this! -The sooner, therefore, a reform is initiated the better, if a spirit of parriotism is to be preserved and discontent removed. The moral, sanitary and financial legislation of a colony should be in the hands of those who are on the spot, and who know what is required and not left, as at present, in the hands of these who know nothing from local ex erience, or who are faddists blind to all but their specious idea, which, like a quack

medicine, is to cure all disease-only it does not. Crown Colonies are perfectly aware that they are not, most of them, in a position to demand self-government; but they have a right to expect, and they demand, fair play and a fair hearing if they have just cause of complaint, Hayes, the famous Veterinary Surgeon and well- nor will they be content with less. It is useless in the present state of political confusion to appeal to the House of Commons. A court of afford relief if they find there exist sufficient grounds. The other chief points calling for remedy are-First, to allow the Governor and his council to act according to their consciences The opening chapter deals with all the and experience; second, to give a majority in 16, but was disqualified on account of his youth. | qualities essential in a perfect "lady's horse" | the Legislative Council to the unofficial mem-Aftersome service in the Mediterranean Squadron, and contains countless hints as to the choosing, bers; third, to allow the colony to have full detached for service at the Paris Exhibition of tion that is necessary on the subject. And in condition. These conditions would remove the 1867, where he got a gold medal from the due order descriptions of lady's riding gear, chief causes of complaint, and give that medicum of Home Rule which would tend to restore Mediterranean Mr. South came under the notice | duces her own experiences as an equestrienne in | the colonists to their form's feelings of patriotism

THE PAMIRS.

Mr. T. G. Bowles, M.P., writes to the Morning

It has been made clear by the reply to my question which a little persuading dentistry

finally extracted this afternoon (axst inst.)---1. That the Chinese were in occupation of Somatash, on the Alichur Pamir, in the spring of last year, until they were driven from it by a superior Afghan force, which Afghan force was in turn driven from it by a superior Russian force under Colonel Ignoff.

2. That the Chinere Government has demanded from her Majesty's Government (as representing Afghanistan) an explanation of the expulsion of the Chinese force by the Afghans, Feb. 25 .- To Yokohama via India : Mr. J. | and that her Majesty's Government have entertained the demand.

Russia's occupation and possession of the place A WRITER in Letsure Hour, on "Phases of Per P. and O. steamer Australia, from Lon- by the Convention of 1872-73, an allegation

means in our power. One step further I will justice to China, requires that we should distinctly not merely in India but elsewhere.

This would, in the present corjuncture of affairs, end the matter very sufficiently. It would no more fail than similar language held with adequate firmness would have falled to friends and firm allies.

Allchur Pamir.

NOTES FROM CHINESE PAPERS

It is reported that the bills in a recently developed part of Nantien, a place near Ningpo, are very rich in mineral wealth consisting of iron, copper, coal and silver.

for persons establishing gambling houses Weber's last waise with variations of my own and enticing people to indulge in a game of No one noticed change. Manœuvre completely chance is banishment to a distance of 3,000 IL. This sentence was pronounced upon a notorious right even when you are wrong, gambler, not long ago, by the Pan-Yil Hsien. The accused had also committed other offences. the other sentence being considered enough.

A batch of 50 young men, ranging from 16 to 17-years of age, arrived the other day from Hankow by the Tatung, to go to the Shanghai Cotton Cloth Mill, where they are to receive instruction and learn to manipulate the machinery. During their apprentice period here, each led in to receive \$1.50 per month, and as soon as they become accomplished operatives, they will go to the Wuchang Mill, where they will get from \$7 to \$10 per month. The thirty lade who came last winter have returned home.

The robbers of Canton have of late been directing their attentions to fresh scenes. A gambling den in the 18th ward of the Canton city was plundered by marauders about a fortnight ago. Although a desperate attempt was made by the gambiers to recover the money, they were unsuccessful. To add to their misfortune, they nearly shot a member of the local gentry. during the fight with the fleeing band. For endangering hisd fe the man threatened to bring the occurrence to the notice of the authorities, but by a hardsome present from the gamblers he was mollified.

CHENTU.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.) February 20th.

The wise man must have had some experience of such climate as we harst of in Sz churr before he penned those beautiful words found in the_lith_chap._of_E-cl-stastes;_#_ruly_the_ light is sweet, and a pleas at thing it is for the eyes to behold the sun." In rio part of the world is light scarcer or sweete, than here from October to March, and gleams of Joy run through all hearts when "ruddy Phoebus" deigns to brighten up a stray morning A winter in Szechuan needs to be experienced to be appreciated. Long'in October in impripable hery cloud overspreads the never too blue sky, thickens, condenses, breaks and precipitates a woolly and wet fleece that aticks like glue. By a merciful arrangement there is an occasional dissolving, and stars and moon glint bashfully in a semipellucid atmosphere. Cloud-land would have been a far more appropriate name for the worth \$400,000. province than the one given. There has not heen a wet rain for four months, only a few fizkes of snow, and very little ice. On the whole the winter has been endur; ble and we now look for brighter days and more warmth. One thing can be said in favour of the climate, which is that we are not subject to cold or but winds. There is seldom more than a gentle zephyr.

Chentu has its attractions, even for a foreigner. We have one of the best city walls in China, and the surface very wide and smooth-quite as smooth as the Shanghai Bund, If one is inclined, he may walk nearly the whole circuit of the city upon the wall, a distance of ten miles ; then around the city are wide, pleasant pathways, skirting artificial rivers, which converge and ending sweers of paddy fields are in every direcilon; myslads of cedar and cypress groves loom up, hiding old and famous temples. Every well-to-do farmer has a dense grove about his farm house, and it is enclosed with a mud, whitewashed wall. The streets of Chentu are also attractive exhibiting in profusion all the handlcrafts of China and many from Europe. The people are so well disposed that a foreign-dressed gentleman can go through the busiest streets without prov king more than a gentle smile, and an occasional Yangyin.

Chentu has a large and fairly well equipped arsenal. The machinery must have cost a fabulous sum, and the transport must have been a heavy Crown Prince of Roumania is almost two and item. The genial manager took the writer all over a balf times as large a sum as the salary of the the establishment, and made sundry remarks President of the United tates, complimentary and otherwise upon its management. Much of the machinery is rusty, broken, failed, on account of the insults and persecutions and in a languishing condition. Very little is, of the Russian refogees by the Spanlards and do e a present except the making of caps and Portuguese of the Orthodox Church, would be a happy day for the city when there seat in the Legislature at the next election in were several railroads, to bring the machinery | Cape Town. He is the first non-European canand such other things that are needed. He didate there since the Cape Constitution was looked a little facetious and said, in broken Eng. granted. lish, "I think you and I will be dead then,"

in some directions. The Methodist Episcopal guards, are to be t ken to Chicago to ply Mission has purchased a very eligible site for between the principal hotels and the Exposition future expansion near-the South-Gate, and the there during the Fair, Rev. H. O. Cady is transforming the old buildings into homes, chapel, and other needed buildings. The Canadian Methodists have purchased people on the globe. It is said that there is an agents in Hongkong and China; - [Advi. two large : ites, one out of the city for a burial average of twenty-one billed persons to every. ground, and the other just recently, near the 10,000 of population, house. The C. M. Mission, under the leadership Monte Citorio, where the It in Legislature of Mr. Horsburg, is parcelling out a section of meets, a body over which her shand presided the province. One of his men has gone on to as Speaker some years ago Sungpan to occupy the border city where Mr. Krupp is to have a rival, or rather he already HE Steamship Polhill-Turner had his upplessantness last year. has one. The Sultan has ordered a competitive

tentative post to watch Tibet. A Russian gentleman called upon me a few Army has been using the former, days ago. He was then waiting for money and a An official report just issued; on the wital staff of surveyors to proceed to the northern part statistics of England, states that the proportion of the province to effect a thorough survey. The of Jews in the population of England has more An illustrated placard was taken down a few increase, not counting immigration. days ago from Mr. Cady's chapel door which, in Works for the improvement of the Lower point of artistic taste and chivalions spirit, Danube are making satisfactory progress, equalled any in the "gallery" collected: by our especially since American boring machines have Hankow friends. It was sent into the magistrate | been brought into operation. It is expected that to brighten his understanding relative to current ocean steamers will be able to reach Buda-Pesth events. He took it as a boylsh joke but, never- in 1898,theless, immediately, detailed four yames runners . A newspaper for the blind, the Weekly

FRIEDENTHAL'S MONKEYS.

A few weeks ago we received a mysterious despatch from somewhere in Sumatra, which we prevent the Crimean War or the last Russo- published, to the effect that our dear old friend Turkish War. But if we halt, hesitate, and delft, Friedenthal was performing among the tigers we shall find ourselves at last landed in a war | and elephants and monkeys about Tanjong with Russia under unfavourable circumstances, Balei, with more satisfactory results than in the and, meantime, have had thrust on our hands a City Hail. Hongkong. We now find the quarrel with Afghanistan and with China, both following in the Penang Gazette of February of whom we should seek to grapple to us as fast' 23rd, from a correspondent in Dell (Sumatra) :--

Last week in Dell was a musical one. On Whether, however, I am right or wrong in Monday we had Albert's third and last concert this, what is established is that her Msjesty's in Medan, and on Wednesday our local social Government have admitted the claim of China club showed us what they could do. Concerning to the lawful sovereignty of Somatash and the Albert's performance there is little to add to my former criticisms save that the bouquet business was better managed and that, although it was extremely kind of some local amateurs to offer their assistance, I think it was a mistake to have accepted it.

As Albert is quite the lion of the season, the following jottings from his diary may be of interest :-

Saturday. Concert at Pindgel. Semebody sneezed in middle of complicated passage Chopin walse. Quite disconcerted me. Forgot what I According to the Penal Code, the punishment was playing and suddenly changed air to successful. Like Deli prople. Insist you ar

Sunday. Church parade. Monday. Concert, Medan. Somebody dropped He had been passing himself r ff as a mandarin, a pin. Disconcerted again. Broke down in but for this he was not punished, the severity of middle of one of Beethoven's complications. Terribly nervous, could see nothing but mist before me. Happy thought. Try complicated Wagner. Did so. Marceuvre again successful,

No question Wagner's music best in a fog. Tuesday, Concert Lobo Pakam. Programme -scales and five finger exercises in double quick time with variations by Friedenthal, Matvellous effect. Chief of the Spoor pale with excitement. Wi ole audience entranced. Pat returned to captivity next morning a sad 'er but wiser man. Pakam audiences most enthusiastic I like them.

Wednesday. Had my hair curled, Thursday. Shot two elephants and a few tigers (not sure how many),

Friday. Meditating flight from Dell. Find best way out of Deli via English port. This a decided annoyance. Don't like English ports. Musical testes of people peculiar, However, must go wie Penang or Singapore. Am advised to take with me a barrel organ and monkey. Chance then of escaping fury of mob. Have arranged with Pilgrim for supply of a good, fat, ordinary sized menkey.

And so on. According to his diary Albert's equipment for the Straits is cau ing him much anxiety. As to the elephants and tigers that Albert says he shot, will it be believed that that incredulous Tim is still looking for the carcases? In reply to numerous enquiries us to the cause of Albert's long stay in Deli, I am authorised to state that there is no foundation for the remour that our mutical Candidate Notary has offered him independence for life if he (Albert) will only live with him and play the plans to him.

NEWS AND GOSSIP.

T King of Greece has a salary of \$300,000 On W 1-forting G mary is prepared to place 3 150.0 0 men in the fi ld fully armed. New Zealand has set aside two islands to remain "wild" for the propagation of game. The Government of Cape Colony is about to appoint a permanent commercial agent at New

France, Switzerland, Belgium and Germany are to wige a joint war of extermination against WOITCS.

The general showing in regard to the vintage in France last fall is not considered to be very satisfactory.

The Anti-Crinoline League of England has or three countesses.

A consignment of canvas-back ducks from Chesapeake Bay was sold readily in London at 34 shillings apiece. The appointment of Edward Dickinson as Genera Manager of the Union Pacific is said to

have been in compliance with the dying wish of Jay Gould. Miss Grundtvig, the stenographer of the Danish House of Representatives, is a leader in move ments connected with the higher development of

women in Denmark. Baron Nathaniel Rothschild of Vienna is about to start on a 'trip to, Africa to last six diverge according to prearranged plans. Un- months. He has chartered a steamer for the use of himself and party.

M. Chappuis' proposed electric railway through the Simplon Pass is estimated to cost \$8,000,000, and it would greatly reduce the distance between Italy and Northern Europe.

The Russian budget for 1893 is, for the first time, over 1,000,000,000 roubles, amounting in

ordinary and extraordinary receipts and expenditure to 1,040,458,385 roubles. Ladies in Stockholm are henceforward eligible to the Stockholm Chess Club, and it is under-

stood that a good many ladies intend to avail themselves of the opportunity. . It is stated that the annual allowance of the

The Hirsch Arge tine colonization plant has

cartridges. I remarked to my new friend that it A. Mussulman candidate, is to contest for a

Seven London-built coaches and sixty English Missions are moving forward with long strides | horses, together with professional drivers and

with the infirmity of blindness than any other can supply it. A. S. Watson & Co. (Limited),

North Gate, a large plot facing upon three good The Countess Louise Ciancians, it is stated, streets. They are at present erecting a dwelling | now sells matches on the steps of the palace of

The place is evidently of little value except as a trial of Krupp and Call cannon. The latter fire

to interview the tex shops and places adjacent Summary, printed in Braille type, and published LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS' to the chapel. The New Year has been introduced in London, has just passed its thirty-fourth HAL L, Zetland Street, on SATUR DAY, the 1st in the orthodox fashion, and to-day affairs are number. It has a considerable circulation, its:

"General" Booth has so far succeeded in raising only some £16,0 0 of the £65,000 he wants to carry on his "Darkest England"

scheme of social regeneration. A review called the Enemy of Woman is to be started in Vienna, Herr Grose, the editor, believing it to be his mission to redeem man from the thraldom of the tyrannical sex.

It is said that the Pope is anxious to bring into general use a severer and more ecclesization style of church music. He is opposed to the modern operatic style, and an allocation and an order on the subject will probably soon be issued.

There was a falling off in the value of both the imports and exports of France during the last year. The Imports were to the value of 4.412,390,000f., against 4.767.867,000f. in 1891, and the exports 3.562,009.000f. as compared with 3,569 737,000% in 1891.

It is many years since so great a depression in the shipping business of Liverpool existed as at present. One hundred and filty-six steamers were lately lying up in that port, representing about 150,000 tons, among them being all the boats of two trans-atlantic passenger lines.

A young musician attached to a French army garrison was married to a lady at Altona, Germany, and had expected to be serenaded upon the return of the bridal party to France. To bis great surprise they were met by mi itary officers who conducted them to a cholera hospital, where they spent the honeymoon as suspects.

An extraordinary case of suicide is reported In the Berlin papers. A sixteen-year old boy, feeling himself humiliated by a severe reprimared that had been administered by his parents, scated himself in a chair and, after loading a revolver, handed it to his brother, a lad of six years, and compelled him to do the shooting. The little fellow fired but one shot, killing his brother instantly,

Offi ial statistics of the cholera epidemic in Germany last year, and up to its practical disappearance, show that the total number of deaths from cholers was 8,510. Nine-tenths, practically, of this number were in the city and state of Hamburg, where the total number of deaths was 7.611-1.22 per cent, of the whole population. The statistics show that the cholera spread up the rivers from the centre around Hamburg with diminishing virulence,

WHY IS IT?

Why is it that death should come before the allotted age of 'three score and ten,' and why do so many millions of human beings never live to three score and five, and why that not one in every thousand, live to three score years P We kill ourselves. Many interesting particulars are found in tables of physiologists and writers on hygiene. The eminent physiologists, Haller and Buffon, present interesting particulars on the subject of longevity. They treat it in two ways, historical and physical. The historical side of the recitation of all facts known of the naturally ordinary and extreme duration of life and the physical aspect of the problem involves the contemplation of the great natural phases of development of the species, digestion, period of growth and length of life.

· Mankind pays too little attention to the warning voice of nature; signs of approaching calamity are unheeded, the disorganization of the affected organ increases and after a time it becomes insensible, then no pain is felt and the sufferer is deluded into the belief that he has shaken off the disease; nothing could be more erroneous or dangerous, for the complaint has only passed on one further stage towards the end and nature ceases to send those warning aches and pains as they were unnoticed when sent, the debility and weakness increases however and nervousness, loss of appetite, and general langour Burglars rifled the palace of Count Flanders | comes on and a cold is caught in the kidneys, lungs at Brussels the other week, and secured diamonds or liver and another life is sacrificed to Bright's disease. Consumption, or some other serious and fatal 11,000 members, including one duchess and two claimed for Clements' Tonic but even the most prejudiced men know it is genuino and does possess merits no other medicine ever did, as instanced in the following case. . "For the past four years I have been a great sufferer from severe pains in the back and left side, being at times quite unable to do any work or even walk about. I suffered in this way until it became quite unbearable and in February 1889, I consulted a physician who treated me for seventeen months, and during that I suffered the severest torture under his treatment and instead of improving continued to get worse. He said at last, 'I have done all I can and you will never be better.' This drove me to despair and I went under another doctor's treatment for four months and took about 80 bottles of medicine but with no result. I was giving up all hopes when I read of the wonderful cures effected by Clements' Tonic and on my husband's advice I tried it, and after the use of only three bottles I was quite different woman. I have taken 15 bottles and feel as well and strong as ever and can do my work with ease and pleasure, whereas it was a great trouble before using Clements' Tonic. I can now also walk for miles without fatigue. Before taking this medicine I have often suffered with Neuralgia for weaks at a time and could never get any relief but since taking Clements' Tonic I have never had an attack of it since, as a result of my experience I have much pleasure in recommending it to all afflicted. Mrs. S. E. Baker, Swan Street, Morpeth, N. S. W." Reader:-Is it any wonder interested people should be jealous of Clements' Tonic when its patrons write such spontaneous praise as that P yet there is not a mail bag comes out our way but what brings us similar. letters. F. M. Clements, 212s, Beckett Street, Melbourne.

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Hongkong, 23rd March, 1803.

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REPORTS. The British steamship Lennox reports that she left Salgon on the 21st instant. Had light easterly wi d to within 150 miles south of Hongkong : thence had fresh north wind and misty weathe to port.

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STEAMERS. ALWINE, German' steamer, 400, C. Peterses, 18th Feb.,-Pakhol 15th Feb., and Holhow 17th, General.-Wieler & Co. AMIGO, German steamer, 771, A. Bendixen, 220d March,-Salgon 17th March, Rice and Paddy.-Wieler & Co.

ASK, Danish steamer, 591, Strom, 23rd March, —Halphong 20th March, and Hothew 22nd, General .- A. R. Marty. BELGIC, Biltish steamer, 4.111, Wm. H. Walker, 22nd -March, -- San-Francisco-23rd - Peb. Hoholulu and March, and Yokohama 16th, Mails and General.-O. & O. S. S. Co. BENALDER, British steamer, 1,286, C. K.

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March,-Bangkok 15th March, Rice,-Melchers & Co. Chow-chow-roo, German steamer, 706, F. Clausen, 10th March, Itolio (5th March, Sugar and Wood,-Melchers & Co.

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HIROSHIMA MARU, Japanese steamer, 2,005, H. Walter, 230d March Salpob 18th March, Rice and Paddy.—Geo. R. Stevens. HUPRH, British steamer, 1,845, T. Quail, 24th March,—Probolingo 112th March, Sugar.—Batterfield & Swire.

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March, Salgon 13th March, Rice and Paddy.—Siemasen & Co. Kong Bang, British steamer, 862. J. B. Jackson. 23td March,-Bangkok 16 h March, Gener 1 -Yuen Fat Hong.

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TAI-YICK, German steamer, 903, Ny Emke, 22nd

March,-Hangkok 15th March, Rice .-S. O. S. S. Co. TANTALUS, British steamer, 2,199, Henry Jones, 24th March,—Kobe via Moji, 20th March, General.—Butterfield & Swire.

TEVIOT, British steamer, 1,349, J. Ferrier, 20th March,—Sulgon 15th March, Rice,—Dodwell, Carlill & Co. TRIUMPH, German steames, 674, J. Bruhn, 22nd March,-Pakhoi 19thi March, and "Holhow

21st, General.-Ed. Schollhass & Co. VICTORIA, British steamer, 1 992, John Panton, R.N.R., 24th March, -Tecoma 21st Feb., Victoria, B.C., 22pd, and Yokohama 15th March, General.—Dodwell, Carilli & Co.

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